

KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENT

PROCEDURE FOR AUTOMATIC TRANSFER OF A CLASS III SALT SOLUTION MINING WELL PERMIT TO A NEW PERMITTEE - NO OTHER CHANGES IN PERMIT

Procedure #: UICIII-2

Narrative:

A UIC permit may be automatically transferred to a new permittee and the transfer handled as a minor permit modification provided no other change to the permit is necessary. A minor permit modification is not subject to draft permit or public notice requirements. K.A.R. 28-46-14 establishes the requirements for the automatic transfer of the permit.

Procedure:

The permit may be automatically transferred to a new permittee if:

- 1. The current permittee notifies KDHE at least 30 days in advance of the transfer date referred to in item number 2 of this procedure;
- 2. The notice includes a written agreement between the existing and new permittee containing a specific date for transfer of permit responsibility, coverage, and liability between them, and the notice includes the new permittee's financial assurance documents for plugging and abandonment; and
- 3. KDHE does not notify the existing permittee and the proposed new permittee of its intent to modify or revoke and reissue the permit. If this notice is not received, the transfer becomes effective on the date specified in the agreement mentioned in item number 2 of this procedure.

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